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In re Applicant:

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For: Novel Antioxidant, Nucleic Acid Constructs  
Encoding Same, Pharmaceutical Compositions  
Containing Same and Use of Same for  
Reducing Oxidative-Stress

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Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Restriction Action mailed July 15, 2003, which response is being made on or before  
August 15, 2003.

Applicants hereby elect Group II, namely Claims 10 – 37, drawn to an  
antioxidant protein of SEQ ID No: 19 or 20.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional  
applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to any  
one or more of the non-elected Groups.

Respectfully submitted,

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